

Dance Classes Outdoors!

Join us in the courtyard of the Centennial Art Center for outdoor, in-person, socially distanced dance classes!

Register

Creative Movement

Creative Movement introduces young children to the joy of dance with a blend of movement, music, rhythm, and creative imagery to help them develop a musical ear, locomotor skills and physical coordination in a developmentally appropriate way, all while having fun!

Age	Day	Time	Location	Session Dates	Fee	Instructor
3-4 1/2 yrs	Mondays	3:45-4:30 pm	CAC	Sep 14-Nov 2 (8 weeks)	\$64	Emma Morrison
3-4 1/2 yrs	Wednesdays	2:45-3:30 pm	CAC	Sep 16-Nov 4 (8 weeks)	\$64	Roxanne Crew
4 1/2-5 yrs	Tuesdays	3:45-4:30 pm	CAC	Sep 15-Nov 3 (8 weeks)	\$64	Emma Morrison
4 1/2-5 yrs	Wednesdays	3:35-4:20 pm	CAC	Sep 16-Nov 4 (8 weeks)	\$64	Roxanne Crew

Contemporary

Contemporary modern dance training builds strong, creative dancers through technique, improvisation and composition. Students gain a solid technical foundation, create original movement individually and with partners, learn to engage the whole body and move with commitment through creative and imaginative movement exercises.

Age	Day	Time	Location	Session Dates	Fee	Instructor
6-7 yrs	Tuesdays	4:45-5:45 pm	CAC	Sep 15-Nov 3 (8 weeks)	\$64	Emma Morrison
8-11 yrs	Mondays	4:45-5:45 pm	CAC	Sep 14-Nov 2 (8 weeks)	\$64	Emma Morrison

Theater Jazz

Learn a range of theater and jazz dance styles through the ages ranging from Bob Fosse, Jerome Robbins, Jack Cole and repertoire from current Broadway hits such as Hamilton and Newsies. Class begins with a warm-up that focuses on ballet and jazz technique and alignment and moves on to classic and current Broadway-inspired choreography with instruction that focuses on dancing and performance quality.

Age	Day	Time	Location	Session Dates	Fee	Instructor
8-10 yrs	Wednesdays	4:30-5:30 pm	CAC	Sep 16-Nov 4 (8 weeks)	\$64	Roxanne Crew
11-13 yrs	Wednesdays	5:35-6:35 pm	CAC	Sep 16-Nov 4 (8 weeks)	\$64	Roxanne Crew



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CLASS PRE-REQUISITES

No experience necessary for Creative Movement, Contemporary / 6-7 yrs or Theater Jazz / 8-10 yrs. For Contemporary / 8-11 yrs and Theater Jazz / 11-13 yrs, it is helpful to have had some movement or dance experience in the past though it is not required.

AGE REQUIREMENTS

Students must be the minimum age on the first day of class.

DRESS CODE

Tank top, T-shirt, or Sweatshirt; Leggings, athletic shorts, or sweatpants; Lightweight sneakers; Bring layers for cooler weather. Hair should be pulled back and secured away from the face.

HOLIDAYS

Classes DO NOT meet on Labor Day (Sep 7) or Veterans' Day (Nov 11). Classes DO meet during MNPS Fall Break.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

In case of inclement weather, classes will meet online via Zoom and families will be notified of the change by 2 pm on the day of the class.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are available through Friends of Metro Dance for tuition, dress code requirements, and equipment. [LEARN MORE & DOWNLOAD APPLICATION](#)

CLASS LOCATION*

Centennial Art Center (CAC)
301 25th Ave North, Centennial Park

Park in the front or back parking lot and enter through the side gate. Classes will be held down the stairs in the grassy area of the courtyard.



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